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Remarkable Virginia Well.

Mr. Samuel Sanford, who is investigating the underground waters of eastern Virginia for the hydrographic branch of the United States Geological Survey, reports a remarkable well located on the main road from Oak Grove to Montrose, just east of Potomac Mills, in Westmoreland county, at the residence of S. C. Barrack.

The well in outward respects differs from all from the average dug well of that section, neither has it any peculiar mineral compounds in its water. It is, however, distinguished from other dug wells for miles around by a remarkable eccentricity. During a spell of dry weather of usual duration the well contains two feet of water, an amount sufficient to permit of a bucket filling quickly and easily. But if at such a time the wind blows strongly from the northwest and an accompanying cold wave makes a man's blood tingle, the water in the well falls so low that a bucket is filled with difficulty; in fact, the well almost goes dry. Similarly it has been noticed that when heavy clouds and winds from the east proclaim the approach of a gale from the coast of Florida or from off Cape Hatteras, the well contains more water than usual.

Wells which show marked changes in water level according to the direction of the wind have been reported from various sections of the country, but this is the first from eastern Virginia. The well is really a natural barometer, and its fluctuations of water level are due to variations in atmospheric pressure. A northwest blow and a cold wave are the accompaniments of an are of high barometer, of increased atmospheric pressure or, as meteorologists term it, an anticyclone. Similarly an easterly gale and rain are the usual attendants of an area of low barometer or lessened atmospheric pressure. When the pressure of the air is greater than normal it forces the water in the well back into the interstices of the bed of sand from which it comes; lower pressure than common causes the water to escape more freely and rise above the usual level. Probably all wells have slight unnoticed fluctuations due to changes in the pressure of the air. Some local peculiarity of the water-bearing bed makes Mr. Barrack's well conspicuous among its neighbors.

Cowhided by a Woman.

A pretty brunette, fashionably gowned, rushed up to a well-dressed man at Broad way and Washington Place New York, Monday and muttering something in a low voice drew a rawhide whip from beneath the folds of her skirt and dealt the man several stinging blows. A crowd quickly formed around the two and watched the woman ply the whip. Detective Fitzgerald was standing nearby, and, seeing the crowd gather, he followed her way to the side of the woman and the man. When the detective placed his hand upon her shoulder she turned to him and dealt him two or three blows across the shoulders. Fitzgerald told her he was a policeman. She then desisted, and Fitzgerald took the two around to the Mercer Street Police Station, where they were charged with disorderly conduct. The woman said she was Mrs. Lillian Vangilder, 24 years old. The man gave his name as David Brazier. He said he was a commission merchant. The two were taken to Jefferson Market Court, where Magistrate Baker set the case for this afternoon. According to Mrs. Vangilder, she went to Europe with friends, and Brazier followed her. She declares he ran out of funds, and she pawned her jewelry to get him back to America. They were friends for three years, but she says she learned that he was married, and refused to see him any more. Then, she alleges, he began writing letters to her friends, circulating disparaging stories about her. The immediate cause of the horsewhipping was a letter Brazier wrote her mother. Charged With Stealing Jewelry. After having given up \$5,000 worth of jewelry to be married and awaiting six months, according to his allegation, William Dorton, a millionaire of Troy, N. Y., who admits he is 75 years old, appeared in the police court Monday to charge fascinating Miss Mattie Ringer, 25 years old, with having stolen the jewelry. She was arrested, charged with larceny. Mr. Dorton said that he loaned her his dead wife's jewelry on the understanding that it would not belong to her until she married him, which she failed to do. Mr. Dorton, who is a very small man, with a long gray moustache, attracted much attention in court by reason of his extremely fashionable clothes and his flashing rings. Miss Ringer was also a center of attraction, because she is a dashing brunette, with large brown eyes. She was dressed in all white and many diamonds glittered on her fingers and at her throat. Miss

A Scientific Wonder.

The cures that stand to its credit make Backen's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. K. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It heals the worst Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Cuts, Wounds, Chills and Salt Rheum. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

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Ringer said that she looked upon the publicity as a gift and that it was not on condition of marrying that she received it. Dorton said he was to marry her last Sunday. He waited at his apartment all day, he said, and when she did not come he started an investigation. He said that he discovered she had been receiving attentions from another man.

Athenian Fashions.

Fashions from ancient Athens 6,000 years old, was an attractive study for hundreds of dressmakers who gathered last night at the opening session of the convention of the Chicago Dressmakers Club at the Stratford Hotel, Chicago. Whether Helen of Troy and the belles of Athens ever strutted in straight fronts, bolero bodices and imported lingerie, or simply attired themselves in seamless tunics and sweet smiles, will be disclosed by Professor Albert Emerson, of the Chicago Art Institute, recognized as one of the best authorities in the country on ancient Grecian dress and customs. Along with Prof. Emerson's ancient fashions are displayed the inevitable Paris fashions. It will be no corset demonstration at this convention which will probably cause a decreased men "modiste" attendance. The reason is given that the demonstration of that feature last year brought out a crowd that the hall would not half accommodate.

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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7:10 and 10:20 a. m., and 1:35, 3:30 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m. and 2:30 and 4:30 p. m. Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10:20 a. m., and 3:20, 6:10 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7:15 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Open at 12:00 m. Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7:30 a. m., 1:00 and 4:15 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1:35 p. m., and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8:00 a. m. Close at 6:00 p. m. Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 10:00 a. m.

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Deliveries made 8:00 a. m. 1 p. m. and 4:15 p. m. All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

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32 yards " " " "..... \$6.98

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